

DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER FACTS FAX

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DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER MARKET, US Grade A, Week Ending 11-Jan-02

DATE	PRODUCTION (000)		ICE-PACKED, MULTI-DROP, IMMEDIATE DELIVERY		
	Actual Slaughter	Live Weight	Price Range	Weighted Price	# of Boxes
01/07	2,355	5.39	49-70	55.38	10,527
01/08	2,325	5.31	49-69	56.38	11,600
01/09	2,314	5.16	52-70	58.03	9,921
01/10	2,364	5.16	52-71	58.79	9,969
01/11	2,556	5.22	52-72	59.15	10,134
			<u>Cumulative:</u>	57.81	55,885

NEGOTIATED TRADING, USDA GRADE A WHOLE ICE-PACKED, Week of 14-Jan-02

Weighted Averages for:	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
New York	52.57	50.04	48.57
Chicago	50.10	50.10	50.15
Detroit	50.64	50.54	50.81
Los Angeles	66.23	68.00	64.13
12-City Composite	57.56	56.85	56.29

NORTHEAST BROILER/FRYER PARTS Ice-Packed, Delivered first receivers, pool and trucklot volumes, cents per pound, Week Ending 11-Jan-02

Weekly	Weighted Average Price	Total Volume/Pounds
Breast - B/S	121.72	2,214,730
Tenderloins	100.72	398,060
Breast - With Ribs	56.32	1,022,609
Breast - Line Run	51.14	776,440
Legs	41.83	847,880
Leg Quarters (Bulk)	25.65	2,801,756
Drumsticks	40.86	653,265
Thighs	34.93	573,755
B/S Thighs	85.34	328,000
Wings (Whole)	101.05	1,553,920
(Includes NY City meta	ro area, RI, Northern NJ,	MA, CT, PA (NE of Harrisburg)

BROILER EGGS SET AND CHICKS PLACED (000), Week Ending 05-Jan-02

	Current	Last		10-Weeks	7-Weeks
	Week	Week	Year Ago	Prior	Prior
Eggs Set	18 3,8 75	18 3,8 79	178,831	168,349	182,372
Chicks Placed	149,121	145,835	142,848	133,638	146,393

SLAUGHTER OF YOUNG CHICKENS UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, W/E 05-Jan-02

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	Current Week	Last Week	Year Ago
Head (000)	118,269	115.281	126,812
Average Live Weight	5.20	5.23	5.17
To Date 2002 (000)	118,269	7,949,708	
To Date 2001 (000)	126,812	7,936,807	

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